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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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PRODUCING PLASMA DISPLAY
PANEL

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DECLARATION OF JOSEPH W. PRICE

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Dear Sir:

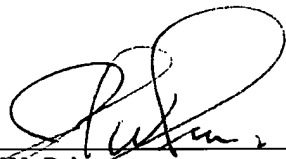
I, Joseph W. Price, declare as follows:

1. I am a partner with the firm of PRICE AND GESS, a firm of patent attorneys, having an office at 2100 S.E. Main Street, Suite 250, Irvine, California 92614.
2. I am registered to practice before the U.S. Patent Office and have practiced patent law for over twenty-five years.
3. Our office received a Notice to Correct Application Papers dated August 8, 2001, indicating that a substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 and substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 were required.

4. I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the attached replacement specification is a true and correct copy of United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/771,843 filed on April 4, 2001 and further declare that the replacement pages of the specification contain no new matter.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States; Code and such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Executed on this 16th day of August, at Irvine, California.



Joseph W. Price